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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1882.

Shooting Affray-

There was a shooting affair at Bruce Mines, Ontario a few days since in which Peter McRae, well known here, was the principal participant. 3 The trouble occurred through some difficulty arising from a horse trade. The bar room in which the row occurred was crowded on account of a concert being held in town, and when Mr. McRae endeavored to settle the difficulty and his antagonist at the same time by the use of his pistol there was a scattering of the crowd that eye witnesses described as very ludicrous. Mr. McRae it is said fired six or seven shots in the crowded room but we believe no one was injured. He was arrested and put in charge of two officers, but during the night in some way managed to elude them, and hired a team and made out to reach the American line and cross just as the pursuing Canadian officials came up to him. Mr. McRae passed through here last week, but we did not hear of his telling of his exploits in marksmanship. The Queens attorney of the district of Algoma has made an application to the head government for a requisition for his extradition and it would seem that Mr. McRae was not entirely out of the woods in the matter as yet.

The Water Works Wetl-

W. R. Coats, of Kalamazoe, an engineer of large experience in the construction of water works made our village a visit the early part of the week and made a careful examination of the location of the proposed water supply for the village. A very favorable water bearing stratum six feet six inches in thickness was found within fifteen feet of the surface from which the water rises and overflows the tube one foot above the surface. He also states in his report to the council that the overlying lay stratum affords full protection to the water bearing stratum from all contamination from surface filth, thus insuring pure water and an abundant supply. He recommended a well swenty five feet in diameter which would cost \$1,157. The council adopted Mr. Coats recommendations, and authorized the secretary of the board of water commissioners to advertise for proposals to construct the same.

The Herse Race.

On account of the snow and ice melting off the race course it was thought that the races advertised to take place last Saturday would have to be postponed, but Saturday forenoon some of our sporting men decided to have the first part of the programme carried out and a purse for that purpose was soon raised. Four horses owned by Michael Carmody, Geo. Paquette, Joe Allair and T. J. Crumley, were entered. Before starting Allair's and Crumley's horses seemed to be the favorites among the betting men. The place to have the race was decided to be on Black river just above the forks where the ice was firm although rather rough. The first the first two heats, Geo. Paquette's horse coming in second and Joe Allairs third. It was pretty cold and the crowd in attendance was rather small.

The Algomab.

The ferry Algoma had some trouble in crossing the straits during the past week owing to the heavy storm and the consequent piling up of the ice. Saturday morning Capt. Ames started out, but did not get across in time enough for the train; however he crossed in the afternoon. Wednesday morning the boat got within about half a mile of the docks when the heavy icebergs prevented any further progress. The passengers walked ashore on the ice and took the train, which passed through here about an hour late in consequence. Thursday morning the transfer was made the same way.

In this connection it is but just to say that there are none but whom speak in the highest praise of Capt. Ames, as being the right man in the right place. the above unpleasant Under circumstances there was nothing left undone which he could do to add to the comfort of his passengers.

Complimentary.

We last week noticed that Rev. P. J. Desmedt from Hubbardston was to take charge of the Catholic church at this place. From the Hubbardston Advertiser we take the following notice which shows the respect and affection with which the reverend Father was held by the residents of that place regardless of church affiliations.

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A gathering of quite a number of the friends of Rev. P. J. Desmedt, both protestant and catholic, was held at Dr. Kelly's residence Tuesday evening, to pay their farewell respects to the Father. A fine social visit was enjoyed, which was enlivened with several speeches testifying to the esteem with which the retiring pastor has been regarded by not alone his parishioners, but all with whom he has come in contact. The recipient was deeply affected by these manifestations of respect, and expressed in feeling terms the regret with which he parted from so many kind friends, whom he should ever hold in affectionate rememberance. rememberance.

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At a meeting of the Hubbardston Branch of the Land League the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, we learn with regret that our dearly beloved pastor and worthy president Rev. P. J. Desmedt is about to remove to Cheboygan; therefore.

Resolved, That we, the members of the Hubbardston Branch of the Irish N. L. L. in meeting assembled, do herely-give expression to our sorrow at the removal from our midst of Father Desmedt.

Resolved That this Branch sustains a serious loss in the departure of our president, who ever and at all times was foremost in advancing the cause of Ireland and the principles which we as Land Leaguers advocate.

Resolved, That in leaving us he takes with him our heartfelt and affectionate regards and best wishes.

Resolved. That these resolutions be published.

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Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the Hubbardston Advertiser and Detroit Home Journal, and spread upon the minutes

of this organization. DR. GE. KELLY.
WILLIAM LOFTUS.
JAS. CAVANAUGH.
Committee on Resolutions.

The Alpena Railroad.

We notice in the Alpena Pioneer an extract from a letter which was received in that city from the president of the Alpena Railroad company under date of

February 11th in which he says: Your people pledged us the right of way, station ground, and \$75,000 bonus if we would build a road. We have surveyed the line, and paid \$2,000 for services for a man to work up the right of way; and the only people along the line who have turned in and helped earnestwho have turned in and helped earnestly, doing genuine work, have been at the Tawas. This is not fair; nor is it fair that we should pay for getting up the right of way, as that was your part, and your own proposition. Now you procure the balance of this right of way, and send us \$75,000 good bonus notes, payable at the points built to, when the road gets there, and we will build that road, commencing this spring. The directors expected this aid long ago, and will not start till it comes."

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Now it seems to us that this is pretty plain talking to people who have been talking railroad, and making such libertions to seenre pena friends have been doing for several years past. Is it possible that this talk has been bluster, and when the time comes to act that they will not be there? We hope not. If Alpena wants a railroad it would seem that now was the accepted time for them to come down with the collateral.

Sudden Death.

Wednesday morning among the passengers who walked ashore on the ice, was a man who dropped dead just as he reached the shore. He was a well dressed man of about 45 years of age. A cormoney was taken by Carmody's horse in oners jury was summoned and after investigation of all the facts and circumstances, rendered a verdict that heart disease was the cause of his death. From letters found upon his person, it was ascertained that his name was Jas. Chisholm of Paisley Ontario. His remains were properly cared for, and shipped by Thursday mornings train to his friends in Canada, who had been informed by telegraph of his sudden death.

Steambout Arrangements.

The People's Line during the coming season will consist of three first class steamers, instead of two, as formerly. The steamers are now undergoing a thorough overhauling. and will be out in about a month in good shape for the summer's work. The line will consist of the steamers Pearl, Keweenaw and Nashua, and one of them will leave Detroit for Alpena, Cheboygan, Mackinaw and St. Ignace every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. It is also understood that Mr. Chamberlain is negotiating for a boat to run in connection with the Flora, thus making another line, and almost a daily boat.

Regular trains are now running on the narrow gauge road between Port Huron and East Saginaw.

Eight car loads of copper ore passed through this week from the upper peninsula. Eight car loads of copper ore passed STATE NEWS

A six-foot vein of coal has been dis-covered in Elba township, Gratict coun-

The latest returns from the Bellevue fire, place the losses at \$32,000, and insurance at \$7,100.

The state board of health report of Feb. 11, shows just 11 cases of small-pox in the state at that date.

Mason people aver that they can haul freight from Lansing cheaper by wagon than they can get it by rail. The citizens of Grand Håven, by an adverse majority of 58 votes, have decided not to bond the city for water works.

A Petoskey hackman charged with outraging a woman was let off on on \$300 bail, with his father as one of the

The ex-member of the Louisiana legis-lature who has been in the Ionia house of correction has been pardoned out, and will open a barber shop at Ionia. Charles Colbath, the Deerfield farmer

who shot Charles Cannon on Sunday in a quarrel about a cow, was arrested at Adrian on Monday while at his father's

The æsthetic craze has struck the advertising man of the Jackson Wagon Company, and he has issued a new addition of the Jackson wagon song, the first page illustrated with a huge sunflower and the last with a lily.

A cock fight, witnessed by a large number of people, was one of the attrac-tions at Kalamazoo on Sunday. The un-lawful assemblage was held within the corporation and near its business center. An effort will be made to arrest all participants.

The Ontonagon & Brule River railroad fight, which raged so fiercely in the state legislature last winter, is now re-opened at Washington, and the old parties are all up in arms again. The ship canal company does not propose to give up its grip on that grant.

S. A. Wilbur of Union City met with a singular experience one day last week. The cords of one of his legs contracted to such an extent as to break the bone midway between the hip and the knee joint. He has long suffered from rheumatism, but now feels much re-

ijeved. The Brighton Citizen says Representa-tive Wm. Ball of Hamburg has sold to E. W. Boyden of Delhi mills, Washtenaw county, 24 thoroughbred American meri-no ewes for \$1,200, and the four-years-old shorthorn bull Lord Barrington, which has attracted much attention at the Central Michigan fairs.

Central Michigan fairs. On Monday Martin Hudson, of the Hudson house, Lansing purchased of H. J. Cerwin of Dimondale, 31 live turkeys which weighed 768 pounds. One of the number weighed 32 pounds. They are of bronze variety, and none of them were over a year old. Mr. Hudson paid 12 cents a pound, live weight.

Some workmen who were employed by a sub-contractor in building the East Saginaw extension of the Port Huron & Northwestern railroad were left in the lurch by him, and not yet having been able to get their pay have sought to seriously obstruct the operation of the road by cutting a bridge in Tuscola county.

The Three Rivers Herald says: thousand acres of corn have been engaged of farmers in this vicinity to be used in the canning factory which is being built in this place. This industry will give work to a great many hands and make a market for garden crops never before thought to be a profitable.

The Grand Lodge of Michigan I. O. O. F. met at Lansing last Tuesday. Three hundred lodges were represented. The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer are very flattering, and show an increase of membership of 712 over the previous year. The attendance is very large, and the members are a fine looking body of

We have taken some pains to ascertain the facts, and we think that Navin had. when he left here, something like \$6,000 or \$7,000, provided he got nothing from the proceeds of the bond rascalities, and the New Yorkers still adhere to the statement that the money is all there. No trace of him has yet been discovered beyond St. Louis, and we do not know of any decided effort being made to search for him.—Adrian Times.

The young men's republican club of Grand Rapids have formed a stock company and will purchase the Daily Demo-crat and run that newspaper hereafter as a republican organ. The papers are reported signed and the money will be paid over within a week. There has been dissatisfaction with the Eagle for some time among the young men of the party there, and they now propose to have a paper managed to their notion.

R. A. Beal, editor of the Ann Arbor Courier, who was a prominent candidate for governor before the last Republican state convention, in noticing the discussion which has been going on relative to the next gubernatorial nominee, says: "The best interests of the state and of the Republican party demand Governor Jerome's renomination." Frank B. Stockbridge and T. W. Palmer also look at the matter in the same light.

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